

**IN THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS  
COUNTY OF SAN LUIS OBISPO, STATE OF CALIFORNIA**

\_\_\_\_\_ day \_\_\_\_\_, 2014

PRESENT: Supervisors

ABSENT:

**RESOLUTION NO.  
RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING JEANNE BLACKWELL FOR RECEIVING THE  
COMMISSION ON THE STATUS OF WOMEN "WOMEN'S WALL OF FAME" AWARD**

The following resolution is hereby offered and read:

**WHEREAS**, The San Luis Obispo County Commission on the Status of Women has recognized Jeanne Blackwell as a "Women's Wall of Fame" award recipient. The Commission is honoring Ms. Blackwell's commitments as a mover and shaker serving others in the County of San Luis Obispo; and

**WHEREAS**, Ms. Blackwell started SLO Clean Water as an offshoot of Transition Towns after hearing a talk about the major issues facing the world today, knowing that water was the most important resource that needs to be protected for future generations; and

**WHEREAS**, Ms. Blackwell built her program from scratch through workshops for the public, garnering organizational resources, and gathering local and state recognized experts for an informational meeting on fracking; and

**WHEREAS**, in a month's time Ms. Blackwell's organizational efforts came up with over 6,000 signatures on a petition to ban fracking; and

**WHEREAS**, Ms. Blackwell was owner of the first woman owned business to trade with Taiwan; and

**WHEREAS**, Ms. Blackwell was 1993 San Bernardino County Entrepreneur of the Year; and

**WHEREAS**, Ms. Blackwell ran for the United States House of Representatives; and

**WHEREAS**, Ms. Blackwell introduced good sportsmanship award to the local soccer region and the American Youth Soccer Organization picked it up; and

**WHEREAS**, Ms. Blackwell supports Seed Savers, Rare Fruit Growers, Glean SLO and has picked tons of orchard fruit for the Food Bank; and

**WHEREAS**, Ms. Blackwell has stated her "most important role is being a mom and grandma."

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED AND ORDERED** that the Board of Supervisors of the County of San Luis Obispo, State of California, does hereby Recognize Jeanne Blackwell for receiving the Commission on the Status of Women "Women's Wall of Fame" Award.

Upon motion of Supervisor \_\_\_\_\_, seconded by Supervisor

\_\_\_\_\_, and on the following roll call vote, to wit:

AYES:

NOES:

ABSENT:

The foregoing resolution is hereby adopted.

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Chairperson, Board of Supervisors

ATTEST:

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Clerk of the Board of Supervisors

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Deputy Clerk